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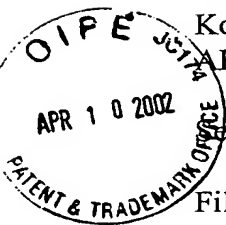
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- (ii) a fully signed Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
- (iii) a cheque in the amount of US\$65.00 in payment of the requisite fee.

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